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CONFIRMATION NO.: 5971

In re application of: Helmut SIPPEL et al

Serial No.: 10/525,302

GROUP ART UNIT: 2852

Filed: August 3, 2005

EXAMINER: Not Assigned

For: METHOD FOR ELIMINATING ERRORS DURING OPERATION OF AN  
ELECTROGRAPHIC PRINTER OR COPIER DEVICE, AND ELECTROGRAPHIC  
PRINTER OR COPIER DEVICE AND COMPUTER PROGRAM

## SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents - MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

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SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

☒ No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	13		20		( ) X 25.00 ( ) X 5, m0.00	\$00
INDEP. CLAIMS	4	MINUS	4		( ) X 100.00 (X) X 200.00	\$00
Application amended to contain any multiple dependent claims not previously paid for.				( ) YES ( ) NO	( ) \$180.00 ( ) \$360.00 ONE TIME	
				TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT		\$00

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- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ is attached.
- ☐ A check for \$ \_\_\_\_\_ accompanying IDS under 37 CFR 1.97(c) is attached
- ☐ A check for \$ \_\_\_\_\_ and Petition for Consideration of IDS under 37 CFR 1.97(d) is attached.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or to credit any overpayment to account No. 501519. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.
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**SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

APPLICANT:	Helmut SIPPEL et al	DOCKET NO.: P04,0368
SERIAL NO.:	10/525,302	GROUP ART UNIT: 2852
FILING DATE:	August 2, 2005	CONFIRMATION NO.: 5971
INVENTION:	METHOD FOR ELIMINATING ERRORS DURING OPERATION OF AN ELECTROGRAPHIC PRINTER OR COPIER DEVICE, AND ELECTROGRAPHIC PRINTER OR COPIER DEVICE AND COMPUTER PROGRAM	

Mail Stop Amendment  
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SIR:

Amend the above-identified application prior to examination on the merits as follows:

An Amendment to the Title is presented on Page 2.

Remarks are presented on page 3.